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Applicants: M. KORKEA-AHSO

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AMENDMENT

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Commissioner for Patents
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June 2, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 5, 2003, setting a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on June 5, 2003, reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections and allowance of the present application are respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 3 and 5 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please amend the claims as follows.

1. (Twice Amended) A collaborative location server for storing, retrieving and publishing location information input by a plurality of users of mobile terminals with respect to geographical points, comprising:

a storage which stores location information in corresponding relation to each of a plurality of geographical points, said location information providing information